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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON:—F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E.C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 80, Cornhill. GORDON & GUTHRIE, 10, Old Bailey, E.C. HENDY & Co., 4, Old Bailey, E.C. SAMPSON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

PARIS AND EUROPE:—LEON DE ROSSY, 19, Rue Monsieur, Paris.

NEW YORK:—ANDREW WIND, 128, Nassau Street.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND:—GORDON & GUTHRIE, Melbourne and Sydney.

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Banks.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL: £1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS:

At 3 months' notice	3% per annum.
" 6 " "	" 4 " "
" 12 " "	" 5 " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SOOTT,
Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation,
Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL: £200,000.
RESERVE FUND: £100,000.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.
THE CITY BANK.
THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in Hongkong grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS:

On Current Accounts, 3 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
On Fixed Deposits:
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " " " 4 " " "
" 12 " " " 5 " " "

WILLIAM FORREST,
Manager.

Hongkong, May 10, 1880.

NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

Registered in London under the Companies' Act of 1862, on 23rd March, 1866.

Established in Calcutta 29th September, 1863.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL: £200,000.
PAID-UP CAPITAL: £100,000.
RESERVE FUND: £50,000.

HEAD OFFICE:—39, Threadneedle Street, London, E.C.

LONDON BANKERS:
NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF ENGLAND.
NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

All descriptions of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum on the daily balance, and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement—the maximum rate being 5 per cent. per annum.

R. HORNE BOYD,
Acting Manager.

Hongkong, May 24, 1880.

COMPTON D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.
(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1845.)

RECOGNISED BY THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th April, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP: £2,000,000.
RESERVE FUND: £800,000.

HEAD OFFICE:—14, Rue de la Harpe, Paris.

AGENTS AND BRANCHES AT:
LONDON, BOURBON, SAN FRANCISCO, MANZANILLA, BOMBAY, HONGKONG, LYONS, CALCUTTA, SHANGHAI, NANKING, SHANGHAI, FOCHOW, HANKOW.

LONDON BANKERS:
THE BANK OF ENGLAND.
THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

E. G. VOULLEMONT,
Manager, Shanghai.

Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL: £5,000,000 Dollars.
RESERVE FUND: £5,000,000 Dollars.

CHIEF MANAGER:
HONGKONG, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.
MANAGER.
SHANGHAI, EVER CAMERON, Esq.

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SHANGHAI, EVER CAMERON, Esq.

HONGKONG.
INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " " 4 " " "
" 12 " " 5 " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the Chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Office of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.
Hongkong, April 28, 1880.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

MR. EDWARD ELIAS SASSOON and Mr. MEYER ELIAS SASSOON.
Partners in our China Firms, have been Admitted from the 1st April last, PARTNERS in our Bombay Firm.

E. D. SASSOON & Co.
Bombay, 8th July, 1880.

VICTORIA FOUNDRY.

WE, the Undersigned, having purchased the Lease and Plant of the above FOUNDRY and ENGINEERING WORKS, intend carrying on BUSINESS OF ENGINEERS, IRON and BRASS FOUNDERS, &c., from this Date under the Style and Title of "FENWICK, MORRISON & Co."

GEO. FENWICK.
ROBT. MORRISON.
Victoria Foundry, Wanchai, Hongkong, July 14, 1880.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD OF UNDERWRITERS.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.
Agents.
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.
Hongkong, Sept. 3, 1879.

RECORD OF AMERICAN AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.
Agents.
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.
Hongkong, Sept. 3, 1879.

FOR SALE.

A complete Reprint, in Pamphlet Form, (6 pages), of the proceedings in the Recent LIBEL CASE of REGINA V. PITMAN, containing the whole of the Proceedings at the Police Court, full report of the trial in Criminal Sessions, with connected Correspondence and comments of the Press.

Price per Copy, 50 CENTS.

China Mail Office,
Hongkong, June 19, 1880.

JAPAN SELTZER WATER MANUFACTURED.

J. LLEWELLYN & Co.
JAPAN SPRING WATER AT THEIR STRAITS WATER FACTORY, Shanghai.

Agents in Hongkong:—Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, July 31, 1880.

FOR SALE.

RURAL BUILDING LOT No. 6. Situated at the Junction of the Mount GOVERN and ABERDEEN NEW ROADS.

THIS LOT is the best and most conveniently situated site on the southern slope of Mount GOVERN, and commands beautiful and extensive views in every direction. A Strong and Substantial BUNGALOW, with Verandah, is now in course of erection on the Lot, the Walls of which will be of Concrete, and the Woodwork throughout of Teak and Manila Hardwood. There is also a splendid site on the Ground for a Large Tennis Lawn and Flower Garden.

ANNUAL GROUND RENT, \$18.00.

For further Particulars, &c., Apply to
SHARP & DANBY.
Hongkong, July 10, 1880.

FOR SALE.

GROUND FLOOR of Houses Nos. 3 and 4.

Apply to
MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, April 18, 1880.

TO LET.

FOREIGN DWELLING HOUSES in the "HONGKONG ROAD," containing Six Rooms and Out-Houses. Nos. 3 and 9, SARGENT STREET.

Apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, April 7, 1880.

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For Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE FOR SALE:
NEW TEA, "CUMSHAW MIXTURE," in 5 and 10 Catty Boxes. Devos's NONPAREIL KEROSENE, tested to 150°.

NOVELS BY BEST HARTE & MARK TWAIN.
BOKER'S BITTERS in Pint.

MILK PUNCH.
CHAMPAGNE—POMMERY, ROEDERER, KOHNSTAMM, SAUMUR, CASTLE. CLARETS—MEDOC, BONNES COTES, ST. EMILION, ST. JULIEN, MARGAUX, LA ROSSE, LA TOUR, LAFITE, CASTLE, in Qts. & Pts.

SHERRIES—SACCONE'S MANZANILLA, CASTLE, AMONTILLADO, BROWN. BURGUNDIES—STILL and SPARKLING, RED and WHITE. CHABLIS SAUTERNE.

COWSLIP WINE.
SPARKLING MOSELLE, in Quarts and Pints.

PORT—CASTLE B. D. J. and Our Own R. BRANDIES—HENNESSY'S, EXTRA No. 1, and COGNAC. GENEVA—VAN HOBOKEN DE BIE & Co.'s, in Red Cases. GIN—BOOTH'S OLD TOM, BURNETT'S UNWEETENED. WHISKIES—S.B.H., BULLOCK-LADE'S, KINAHAN'S LL, CASTLE, BURKE'S.

SHIPCHANDLERY of all Descriptions.
ROPE—English WIRE, Russian HEMP, MANILA. CANVAS—T. and D. HENRY, W. and E. BAYTER, WOODBERRY DUCK, YACHTING DUCK, &c.

ENGINEER'S FITTINGS of all Kinds.
RUBBER, HEMP, COTTON, ASBESTOS PACKING. COOKING STOVES and GALLEY RANGES. CANVAS and other ROPE, Suction and Delivery. STOCKHOLM TAR, PITCH, and ROSIN.

IRON—LOWMOON and STAFFORDSHIRE BOILER PLATES, ANGEL IRON, and RIVERS. SHIPPING supplied with WATER. SAIL-MAKING, RIGGING, &c., to Order.

Hongkong, August 2, 1880.

KELLY & WALSH

HAVE just received the following NEW & IMPORTANT BOOKS.

New Edition "Wetmore's Telegraph Code," greatly enlarged, \$30.00.
Ferguson's "Chinese Researches," 2.50.
"Great Navigators of 18th Century," 4.00.
Dr. Edkins' "Chinese Buddhism," 4.50.
Dr. Parmer's "Life of Christ," 4.00.
Winchell's "Preadamites," 6.00.
Moule's "Chinese Stories," Illustrated, 75.
Urquhart's "Electric Light, its Production and Use," 3.00.
Cairn's "Quantitative Analysis," 2.50.
Walker's "Money, Trade, and Industry," 2.00.
Spurr's "Dictionary of Engineering," new edition, 2.00.
Edwards' "Tales of Old Japan," 2.00.
Baron Richthofen's "China," 4.00.
Dr. Martin's "Essays on the Intellectual Life of the Chinese," 2.00.
New Skeleton CHIT BOOK, 1.25.

Hongkong, August 9, 1880.

FOR SALE.

MUNTZ PATENT YELLOW METAL SHEATHING, all Sizes; AND COMPOSITION NAILS, in Lots to Suit Purchasers.

G. R. LAMBERT,
Fiddler's Wharf Buildings.
Hongkong, July 28, 1880.

TO LET.

TWO HOUSES, Nos. 14 and 16, Stanley Street, lately in the occupation of the TEMPERANCE HALL.

TWO ROOMS in CLUB CHAMBERS, THE BUNGALOW, No. 1, Old Bailey Street.

THE DWELLING HOUSES—Nos. 31 and 33, WELLINGTON STREET.

THE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 35, CAIRNS ROAD. Possession from 1st September.

Apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAKE & Co.
Hongkong, August 7, 1880.

FOR SALE.

GROUND FLOOR of Houses Nos. 3 and 4.

Apply to
MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, April 18, 1880.

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FOREIGN DWELLING HOUSES in the "HONGKONG ROAD," containing Six Rooms and Out-Houses. Nos. 3 and 9, SARGENT STREET.

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Intimations.

NOTICE.

LESSEES of LOTS on the British Settlement of SHAMKIN, CANTON, are hereby requested to Pay the AMOUNTS due on their Several Lots at ANNUAL Ground Rent into H. M. CONSULATE, on or before the 4th September, 1880.

All Lots on which Ground Rent has not been paid on the 4th September next, will be liable to be re-entered upon by H. M. Government.

A. R. HEWLETT,
H. M. Consul.

H. M. Consulate, Canton, 5th August, 1880. 10c 5

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have the honour to pay the very great compliment to Captain MILLER and all the OFFICERS of the Steamer "BOWEN."

It appears that on the last voyage from Sydney to Hongkong, a Passenger, TANG A-SING, Whampoa, died, and Captain MILLER and his OFFICERS took what steps were in their power to preserve the body, and handed it over to the relatives for interment. Besides this, the Chief OFFICER also personally collected a subscription on board the steamer from all Passengers to the amount of £20, of which £11 was drawn from European and £9 native, and handed over to his family, which they will use for funeral expenses.

Under the above circumstances how philanthropic a virtue they cherish and how benevolent well-doing they love! The undersigned are now simply expressing their cordial thanks by means of publishing in the newspaper the care and trouble they had taken with the deceased.

DONATED THE WIFE COMRADES and all Sailors on board the said steamer.

Hongkong, August 9, 1880. au16

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Office of the Company, CHINA CHAMBERS, on TUESDAY, August 24th, 1880, at 2 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1880.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 10th to the 24th Instant, inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
D. GILLIES,
Secretary.

Hongkong, August 4, 1880. au24

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND at the Rate of 6% or \$4.50 per SHARE, Declared at the Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of Shareholders held THIS DAY, August 24th, 1880, at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, on and after FRIDAY Next, the 30th Instant.

Shareholders are requested to apply at the Office of the Company for Warrants.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
P. A. DA COSTA,
Secretary.

Hongkong, July 28, 1880.

MURRAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA WATER CAUTION.

HAVING Learned that Large Quantities of IMITATIONS of our FLORIDA WATER have recently been imported to Hongkong, we caution the Public against purchasing any that does not bear the name "MURRAY & LANMAN" on the label. Each Bottle of the Genuine is wrapped with a pamphlet printed on paper which has the words "LANMAN & KEMP, NEW YORK" in Water Mark.

Messrs. MELOCHERS & Co. are our only Agents for Sale of the Genuine Florida Water at Hongkong.

LANMAN & KEMP.
New York, July 9, 1878. au12

THE WONDER OF THE WORLD.
Good News for all!
P. R. F. HERMAN'S VERMIN DESTROYER!
Which is known to be Far Superior to Anything yet discovered for killing Rate, Mice, Insects on Poultry, Ants, Bugs, Cock-roaches, Black Beetles, Fleas on Dogs, Blight and Insects on Plants, Moths in Furs, Ticks or Scab on Sheep or Goats, also on Cattle, &c., &c.

This preparation has been applied with great success against the Insects that attack the Coffee Plants, and would doubtless be equally efficacious with the Tea Plants.

SOLD IN PACKETS.
At One Shilling per packet; or six Packets for Five Shillings.

The Powder is warranted free from all bad smell, and will keep in any climate. It is quite harmless to Cats or Dogs, as they will not eat it.

DIRECTION FOR USE ON EACH PACKET.

MARLBOROUGH.
GRAVELLY HARE, Richmond, Kent, or LONDON, ENGLAND.

The above discovery has gained for Professor Herman a Silver Prize Medal at the Inter-Colonial Exhibition of Victoria, Australia, of 1880, besides numerous Testimonials.

Hongkong Agents:—F. BLANKENHORN & Co.
W. OULICKHANE, Victoria Dispensary.
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WASHING-HOOKS.
(In English and Chinese.)
WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, are now ready at this Office.—Price, \$1 each.

CHINA MAIL OFFICE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.
No. 122.
CHINA SEA.

ENTRANCE TO MIN RIVER—FOO-CHOW DISTRICT.

MIN REEF WHISTLING BUOY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a red and black chequered automatic Whistling Buoy, 10 feet in diameter at the water line and with the word MIN painted on it in white letters, has been moored in 11 fathoms of water about one cable to the north-east of the northern extreme of the Min Reef. From the buoy:—

Chang Chi Peak bears N. 49° E. Sharp Peak " N. 78° W.

By order of the Inspector-General of Customs,
DAVID M. HENDERSON,
Inspector-in-Chief.

Imperial Maritime Customs, Engineer's Office, Shanghai, 3rd August, 1880. au13

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 16th day of August next, at THREE O'CLOCK p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1880.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, July 29, 1880. au16

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, the 4th, to MONDAY, the 15th August next (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, July 29, 1880. au16

A-H-TOW & Co.
SHIP COMPRADE, STEVEDORE, BALLASTERS AND WHARF SUPPLIERS.
Hongkong & Whampoa, (the same Proprietor).
Keep on hand and for sale, well assorted Oilman's Stores and Coal of all kinds. Shipping supplied at the shortest notice with all kinds of Ballast and fresh Provisions at moderate charges.

209, BAY & WEST.
館辦興成口街與永

DENTAL NOTICE.

D. R. ROGERS, now on a visit to SHANGHAI, will return to HONGKONG early in the Winter as usual.

Hongkong, April 1, 1880.

DYNAMITE, FUSES, DETONATORS, &c.

FROM NOBEL'S EXPLOSIVES CO., LIMITED, Glasgow, can be had in any Quantity on application to
THE BORNHO Co., Ltd., Agents.
Hongkong, March 8, 1880. 8m81

Shipping.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.
(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, NEWCHANG, TIEN-TSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSE.)

The Co.'s Steamship "Sargodon" will be despatched at Daylight, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, August 9, 1880. au11

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.

The Steamship "Douglas," Capt. S. ARNOLD, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 11th Inst., at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAKE & Co.
Hongkong, August 9, 1880. au11

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR MANILA, MACASSAR, SOURABAYA, SAMARANG AND BATAVIA.

The Co.'s Steamship "Mora," Capt. M. J. DE NEER, will be despatched for the above Ports, via Macao, on THURSDAY, the 12th Instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, August 7, 1880. au12

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALOUTTA.

The Steamship "Moray," Capt. M. J. BUCHANAN, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 14th Inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, August 7, 1880. au14

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALOUTTA.

The Steamship "Japan," Capt. T. S. GARDNER, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 14th Inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, August 7, 1880. au14

FOR LONDON VIA THE SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship "Nippon Maru," shortly due, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, July 6, 1880.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
(Taking Cargo at through rates for NEW YORK and HAMBURG.)

The Steamship "Glasgow," Capt. E. NORMAN, will be despatched as above on or about the 16th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Hongkong, August 3, 1880.

FOR PORT DARWIN (DIRECT).

The Steamship "Penedo," JOHN CARY, Commander, will be despatched as above on or about FRIDAY, the 20th Inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, August 9, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship "Prism," Capt. S. H. BUTLER, will be despatched on or about the 20th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, August 3, 1880.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American Bark "Abel Abbott," Chas. Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, July 6, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American Bark "General Fairchild," KELLEY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, July 6, 1880.

FOR LONDON.

The A 1 British Bark "James Shepherd," MADDEN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, July 6, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American Ship "Sherman," Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
VOGEL & Co.
Hongkong, July 2, 1880.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The A 1 British Ship "Clarendon," Captain BRADLEY, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

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VOGEL & Co.
Hongkong, June 19, 1880.

FOR LONDON.

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Hongkong, June 19, 1880.

FOR LONDON.

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Hongkong, June 19, 1880.

FOR LONDON.

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For Freight, apply to

Intimations.

THE CHINA REVIEW.

THE widely-expressed regret at the discontinuance of *Notes & Queries* on China and Japan, has induced the publishers of this journal to cause a publication similar in object and style, but slightly modified in certain details.

THE CHINA REVIEW, or *Notes and Queries on the Far East*, is issued at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octavo pages, illustrated with lithographs, photographs, woodcuts, &c., should the papers published demand, and the circulation justify, such extra matter.

The subscription is fixed at \$6.50 postage paid, per annum, payable by non-residents in Hongkong half-yearly in advance. The publication includes papers original and selected upon the Arts and Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Manners and Customs, Natural History, Religion, &c., &c., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, the Eastern Archipelago and the "Far East" generally. A more detailed list of subjects upon which contributions are especially invited is incorporated with each number. Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, French, German, Spanish, Italian or Portuguese, are admissible. Endeavours are made to present a résumé in each number of the contents of the most recent works bearing on Chinese matters. Great attention is also paid to the Review department.

Notes and Replies are classified together as "Notes" (head references being given, when furnished, to previous Notes or Queries), as are also those queries which though asking for information, furnish new or unpublished details concerning the matter in hand. It is desirable to make the Queries proper as brief and as much to the point as possible.

The *China Review* for July and August, 1879, is at this date forty-four years old. It says that forty-four years ago essays were sent in to compete for the best paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our learned societies should subscribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review. It is a sixty-paged, bi-monthly, repository of what scholars are ascertaining about China. The lecture on the Chinese Poetry in this volume is alone worth the price of the Review. Address *China Review*, Hongkong.—*Northern Christian Advocate* (U.S.).

Traveller's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the *China Review*: "This is the title of a publication, the first number of which has lately reached us from Hongkong, where it has been set on foot as in some respects a continuation of *Notes and Queries on China and Japan*, the extinction of which useful and agreeable work has been much regretted in Europe as well as in China. The present publication, judging by the number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, somewhat similar to that which has been filled in India by the *Calcutta Review*. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable; and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked for from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body, among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authors. In a paper on Dr. Legge's *Shing*, by the Rev. E. J. Edin, to which the place of honour is deservedly given, an excellent summary is presented of the chronological problems and arguments involved in connection with this important work. Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice that "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contributions on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its predecessor in the field, and that the *China Review* may receive the support necessary to insure its continuance. The publication is intended to appear every two months, and will form a substantial octavo magazine."

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